

USAID AMPATH Uzima



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JOB ADVERTISEMENT

USAID AMPATH Uzima is a Kenya Health Partnership for Quality Services (**KHPQS**) funded by USAID and Managed by Moi Teaching & Referral Hospital, working in partnership with the Departments of Health in Uasin Gishu, Trans Nzoia, Elgeiyo Marakwet and West Pokot Counties.

The Academic Model Providing Access to Health Care (AMPATH) is a project under the auspices of Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital (MTRH), Moi University and a Consortium of North American Universities led by Indiana University whose aim is to provide sustainable efforts in access to Health Care, Research, and Training.

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the following vacant position in the USAID AMPATH Uzima Program.

VACANCY NO: AMPATH/04/CCLO/01

POSITION: COUNTY COMMUNITY LIAISON OFFICER - 1 Post

STATION: TRANS NZOIA COUNTY

JOB GROUP: RS 9

Job Summary

The County Community Liaison Officer will coordinate and implement Community activities of USAID AMPATH Uzima under FP/RMNCAH, Nutrition & WASH, HIV Care & Treatment and OVC in Trans Nzoia County.

Duties & Responsibilities

Reporting to the Program Manager FP/RMNCAH, Nutrition & WASH, the incumbent will among others be responsible for the following:

- Support the implementation of the County Community Health Strategy;
- Strengthen the community coordination mechanism for service delivery;
- Support and coordinate referral activities in the county;
- Coordinate Infection Prevention and control activities ;
- Enhance inter/ intra-sectorial collaboration and joint initiatives at community level;
- Support community dialogue forums with the link facility;
- Strengthen communication and advocacy for community health systems;
- Ensure effective integration of FP/RMNCAH, Nutrition & WASH, HIV Care & Treatment and OVC, advocacy and environmental protection at community level;
- Strengthen management and coordination of community health governance structures;
- Engage community leaders and partners in the planning, implementation and monitoring of activities at community level;
- Develop weekly, monthly, quarterly, semi- annual and annual community reports in line with program and donor reporting guidelines;



- Capacity Building of CHVs and Committees to be able to effectively manage and sustain FP/RMNCAH, Nutrition & WASH interventions;
- Work with the S/CHMT to conduct training and support supervision at the community;
- Support communities' groups, youth and children to engage constructively with duty bearers and service providers to improve access to, and quality of essential health services;
- Promote and coordinate WASH activities at County and Sub-County level.

Qualifications & Experience

- Bachelor's degree in Public Health, Nursing, Community Health, or any other health-related field.
- Experience in implementing an integrated, FP/RMNCAH Nutrition and WASH Project;
- Good understanding of the Kenya Community Health Strategy and Primary Health Care;
- Have at least three (3) years' Experience in Community Health funded Programs on FP/RMNCAH Nutrition will be an added advantage;
- Experience in implementation of community Health Programs.

Terms of Employment

The successful candidate will be employed on 1-year renewable contract terms with a competitive salary and allowances with possible extension up to **30th September, 2026** subject to availability of funds, satisfactory performance and need for the service. Candidates who meet these requirements and are interested should submit their applications, with detailed Curriculum Vitae giving details of their current remuneration on or before **5th May, 2023 at 5:00pm** to the email addresses below:

All applications should be done via portal- <https://ioms.ampath.or.ke/vacancy/openings>

Hard copies will not be accepted

AMPATH is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to child safeguarding.

Please note only shortlisted candidates shall be contacted.

N/B – AMPATH does not charge a fee at any stage of recruitment

